

IRISH LEADERS ASSAIL BRITISH WAR FAILURES

Million More Men for British
Armies to Be Called to Col-
ors Following Vote.

WILL OPPOSE CONSCRIPTION

All-Night Session Brings Scath-
ing Language in Reference
to Asquith Policies.

LONDON, Dec. 22.—After a night of the most heated war debate in months the house of commons at 5:30 a. m. today agreed to pass the government bill, calling 1,000,000 more men to the colors.

The sharpest shafts yet hurled in the house of commons in arraignment of the Dardanelles campaign preceded adjournment at dawn. Before midnight the bombardment of the ministry became so terrific that one member inquired if the Zennelins had come to town again.

Adoption of the measure puts in the field the greatest British army in history, its number estimated at about 4,000,000. With these millions the government hopes to strike for decisive victories in every theater of war and end the conflict within another year.

Carson Directs Attack.

The shock of the first attacks rapidly passed away. After midnight many members fell asleep. Flery periods of parliamentary orators were punctuated by loud snores. The slumber scenes of American Congressional filibusters were outdone.

The sharpest attacks on the govern-
ment were directed by Sir Edward Carson, who recently quit the cabinet because he disagreed with other members regarding Balkan affairs.

Sir Edward echoed the charge of John Redmond, Irish leader, that a scandal lurked behind the Dardanelles failure. He demanded to know why the public had not been better informed regarding Gallipoli enterprise. He joined with Redmond in asking why a certain dispatch from Gen. Ian Hamilton, formerly in command at the Dardanelles, had not been made public. Premier Asquith replied that the dispatch had only been received the day before.

To Continue Attack.

When commons a hour and early today it was hinted that the parliamentary battle has only begun. Carson and some of his associates are determined to press the government for further statements fixing responsibility for the Dardanelles failure.

John Dillon, in a fiery speech, opposed the granting of Mr. Asquith's request for an additional 1,000,000 men. He said:

"The premier's speech is deplorably lacking in any attempt to justify the adding of the fourth million. We place no reasonable limit on the size of the army. We are traveling the road that leads not to victory, but to financial ruin and loss of the war."

"Before we sanction the fourth million of men we ought to be told what is the basis of the government's demand. In no case have the failures of the war been due to lack of men, and before the government enforces conscription the men responsible for these failures must be removed."

Redmonds Speech.

John Redmond, the Irish Nationalist leader, who followed the prime minister, said that the house learned with the deepest thankfulness how magnificently the situation had been handled by General Monro and the admiral in charge at the Dardanelles. He complained, however, that no details of the Gallipoli operations had yet been received from Gen. Sir Ian Hamilton (formerly in command), and characterized it as "a scandal."

He added that unfortunately he was in possession of information which pointed to the fact that the whole truth could not be advantageously published. Mr. Asquith interjected: "The government have only just received General Hamilton's report."

Mr. Redmond, continuing, said he believed that the figures in connection with Lord Kitchener's recruiting scheme would show an extraordinary demonstration of enthusiasm and determination on the part of practically the whole people of Great Britain, the moral effect of which must be felt throughout the world.

Mr. Redmond, turning in the direction of Premier Asquith, served formal notice that the Irish party, in the existing circumstances, was opposed to anything like conscription, and he sincerely hoped that in the interest of the country and of the speedy and successful termination of the war the government would make no such proposal.

Carson On Conscription.

Sir Edward Carson said he feared that the vote taken for the present was too late and not large enough. He said he believed that the country, Ireland included, was prepared to agree to any measures that would bring victory. If the premier asked for conscription as a result of the delay recruiting figures he would do so as a great, patriotic duty.

Sir Edward also complained of the lack of news from Gallipoli and asked why, when the operations had failed in August, the men had been left until December in "a kind of hell."

H. Sturges, the miners' leader, who succeeded to the late James Keir Hardie's seat for Merthyr Tydfil, introduced himself to the house in a breezy, unceremonious, but pointed speech, in which he referred to "the hypocritical nonsense of saying that the people were afraid of conscription."

The miners' leader wanted to know what the boys from Canada, Australia, South Africa, New Zealand, and every part of the British empire, who had come to fight for the old motherland, would think when they discovered what sicklers there were here. Some of them, he said, had married to dodge their responsibilities and were being themselves behind the garments of their women folk.

As To Conscription.

James Parker, a Labor member, speaking in behalf of the Laborites, declared: "We are prepared to fight against conscription as hard as we have fought to get men into the army under the voluntary system."

H. J. Tennant, parliamentary secretary of the war office, denounced the language used by Sir Edward Carson and said that the latter's representation of the government as dilly-dallying in Gallipoli was not a faithful representation of the facts. Continuing in relation to various members, who had expressed fear that the government, in as-

Concerts Today

Orchestral Concert by the U. S. Soldiers' Home Band, at Stanley Hall at 6:45 o'clock.

JOHN S. M. ZIMMERMANN, Director.

March, "High Society".....Steele
Overture, "The Vier Haymons-
Kinder".....Morgan
Morceau, "Spanish Serenade".....Priml
Selection, "The Love Wager".....Hamblitz
Rag oddity, "Tillby".....Morgan
Waltz suite, "Southern Roses".....Strauss
Intermezzo, "Ticking Love Taps".....Strauss
Finale, "The Gold Fields of Ne-
vada".....Strauss
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Commencing at 8 o'clock, This
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March, "Under the Flag of Vic-
tory".....Blon
Overture, "Poet and Peasant".....Schuman
a "Quartet" from the opera
"Rigoletto".....Verdi
Grand selection, "Cavalleria Ru-
sticana".....Mascagni
Waltz, "The Blue Danube".....Strauss
Popular melodies, "Remick's Hits
No. 13".....Lampe
Descriptive fantasia, "A Visit of
Salome".....Lampe
Finale, "Setting the Pace".....Smith

ing for a larger army, was not taking into account the economic needs of the country. Mr. Tennant said:

"The reason the Government is asking for this additional million men is that they are necessary to fill the gaps and have a large enough army in the field to win the war. The Government is fully alive to the importance of maintaining our industries and safeguarding our financial position. The premier has indicated, however, that if certain conditions are not fulfilled relative to recruiting the government might be forced to ask for additional powers."

In conclusion he appealed to the Irish and Labor members to join the government in these efforts.

Reported to Be Dying

ROME, Dec. 22.—Angelo Sarto, brother of the late Pope Pius X, is dying, according to advices received here today.

CHICAGO GETS 20,000 CITIZEN POLICEMEN

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—A citizen police force of 20,000 strong, in addition to the regular force, is being formed here today. When complete it will give Chicago the largest police force in the world. According to the plan, suggested by seven millionaires, members of the Industrial Club of Chicago, every block in the city will have a citizen policeman serving without pay. He will work with the police and health authorities in the district.

It is hoped that he will aid in action the careless cops on the regular force. The first duty of the citizen policeman will be to gain the friendship of the patrolman on the beat. His chief work will be observation. He will not have the power to make an arrest, but is expected to report unsanitary conditions and law violations. Residents in his block will be expected to cooperate with him.

"The citizen police force will make Chicago's police force the most efficient in the world," said Louis Damon, secretary of the movement, known as Chicago Civic Co-operators. "Already the regular police are commencing to show interest in the program. They have gotten 5,000 copies of the city ordinance, and are showing more discretion in their official acts."

Each citizen policeman is provided with a card of authority which bears the signature of the mayor, chief of police, and the head of the health department.

Loses Bride After Robbers Beat Him

Mr. Kavanaugh, of Cumberland,
Easily the Most Unlucky
Man of the Day.

CUMBERLAND, Dec. 22.—John W. Kavanaugh won the pennant in the Harp Luck League and will play his shadow in a world series for the measles and the gate receipts. Fact is, it was his wedding day, but as things developed it wasn't.

Mrs. Kavanaugh had an appointment to marry Miss Katherine Brill at twenty minutes past ten and by half-past nine was dressed neatly but not gaudily for the ceremony. At ten minutes of ten he placed a large white christening gown in his lapel, and at 10 o'clock he started on foot from his house, which, like the church, is near the outskirts of the city. He had walked half a minute at a rapid pace when three men came running at him.

The three men, who seemed to have drilled for robbery, jumped upon Mr. Kavanaugh, and after reducing his silk hat to an alginate they took his watch and \$200 with which he intended to start housekeeping. Then they fired one salute, which went through his left arm. When Mr. Kavanaugh arrived at the church his bride-to-be refused to be bothered with details of his experience, complained that the whole party had waited for nearly two hours and called the wedding off forever.

Mr. Kavanaugh, when asked for a statement gave it, but practically nothing can be done with it as an item of news. Briefly, the matter annoys him.

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cerized, sizes 9½ to 12;
box, 6 pairs.....\$1.50
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